

**REMARKS****Elections/Restrictions**

The Examiner indicates that claims 84 and 97 are generic. The Examiner asks for Applicant to elect one of claims 100 and 101 which are directed towards different species of the generic feature of wherein the patient procedure code is. Also, the Examiner asks the Applicant to elect one of claims 103 and 104 which are directed towards different species of the generic feature of wherein a unit of value is assigned.

Therefore, the Applicant elects claims 100 and 103. Claim 100 is readable on the species of the generic feature of wherein the patient procedure code is. Claim 103 is readable upon the generic feature of wherein a unit of value is assigned. Claim 96 is a species elected with respect to the step of linking.


Thus, the Applicant agrees that claims 84 and 97 are generic. The species of claims 96, 100 and 103 are elected. ✓

**Conclusion**

No fees or extensions of time are believed to be due in connection with this amendment; however, consider this a request for any extension inadvertently omitted, and charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 26-0084.

Reconsideration and allowance is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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